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The proposal is seriously insufficient. It assumes they will act in good faith, when history clearly shows otherwise; they have yet to admit guilt, as a most recent example! A secret three-member panel is incapable of enforcement over the world's largest software company. I am not a lawyer, and I was able to find many ways to obey the letter of the agreement, while still violating the spirit such that they could continue to illegally monopolize large portions of the computer industry; I cannot begin to imagine what loopholes they will find.

Finally, I am offended that they are being allowed to keep ALL of their illegally-obtained profits.

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